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Adams, Loretta	Friends of Paint Lick/ KSU Family Dev. & Management Program	
Alexander, Linda	Herrington Lake Conservation League	
Arnold, Richard	Garrard County Fair/ Lancaster Planning & Zoning	County Fair June 24th – 29th
Atkins, Cindy	Big Sandy Area Dev. District/Coordinator KY Works Program	
Bailey, Jolynda	Housing Authority of Lancaster	
Bivelacque, Shari	Garrard County Earth Day Festival/ T.E.A.C.H.	
Cash, Scott & Angie	Garrard County Food Pantry	
Carrier, Jeanne	Up With Youth	
Chamberlain, Richard	AARP/ Lancaster Rotary International	
Chamber of Commerce	Garrard County Chamber of Commerce	
Chavez, Regina	Octoberfest at Meadow Lake	
Davis, Mary Adrienne	Lancaster Woman's Club	
Durham, Gary	Garrard County Ministerial Association/G.C. Food Pantry	
Edgington, Tracey	Farm Bureau Federation	

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Fielder, Joe	Garrard Community Lion's Club	
Goins, Jean	Lancaster Kentucky Annual Arts & Crafts Bazaar	The Annual Lancaster Arts & Crafts Bazaar is scheduled to be held on Friday & Saturday, November 22 & 23.
Goodwin, Ann	Heart of Kentucky United Way	
Hatfield, Wendell	Garrard County Emergency Management	
Haffner, Jerry	Adult Education (GED) Program	

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Hixson, Mary	Garrard County Cooperative Extension	<p>(Via Kim Middleton) All activities held at the Garrard County Extension Office unless otherwise noted. Call 792-3026 for more information. Email us at: ces.ca.uky.edu/ces Or Check Us Out at: Ces.ca.uky.edu/Garrard and On Facebook at: Garrard Extension</p> <p>Free Yoga Classes being offered during the month of April. Every Monday at 6:00 pm and every Tuesday at 10:00 am. Kristina Beaman, instructor</p> <p>1 Cooking and Eating Healthier Cooking Class – Noon or 6:00 pm – English</p> <p>2 Cooking and Eating Healthier Cooking Class – 6:00 pm – Spanish</p> <p>4 4-H Woodworking Day Camp (Tool Box) \$5.00 Call for more info and registration</p> <p>5 4-H Woodworking Day Camp (Rag Stools) \$5.00 Call for more info and registration</p> <p>25 Glass Art 102 – Glassware into Yard Art Class, 6:30 pm - \$7.00 (No Cost to Glass Art 101 participants)</p> <p>30 Plate it Up the healthy Way, 6:30</p> <p>Other Dates County Fair.....June 24th - 29 4-H Camp.....July 8th - 11th North Central 4-H Camp</p> <p>If you're interested in working with youth, call the Extension Office at 792-3026.</p> <p>Regular Monthly Meetings/Activities</p> <p><u>4-H Horse Club</u> – April 8 - 6:30 (2nd Monday/Monthly) – Ella Ayres, Leader</p> <p><u>4-H Cloverbuds</u> – April 8 – 5:30 (2nd Monday/Monthly) – Angie Fielder, Leader</p> <p><u>4-H Cooking Club</u> – - 4:00 p.m. (1st Wednesday/monthly) – Paula Hatfield, Leader</p> <p><u>4-H Livestock Club</u> – April 9 - 6:30 p.m. - (2nd Tuesday/monthly) Dorothy Murphy, Leader</p> <p><u>4-H Garden Club</u> – 5:00 p.m. Every Wednesday (Wednesdays/Weekly – Garrard Middle School) Kathy Tuggle, Leader</p> <p><u>Paint Lick Community Club</u> – April 25 - After School - Last Thursday/Monthly – Paint Lick Elementary Leah Simpson, Leader</p> <p><u>4-H Shooting Sports</u> – will start soon</p> <p><u>Beginner Quilt Group</u> – April 20 - 9:30 – Noon (3rd Saturday/monthly)</p> <p><u>Nature Thyme's Herb Group</u> - April 11, 6:30 (2nd Thursday/monthly) & April 27 10:00 (Call for info)</p> <p><u>Chatterbox Homemaker Club</u> - April 18 - 1:00 (3rd Thursday/monthly).</p> <p><u>Countryside Homemaker Club</u> – April 18 - 7:00 (3rd Thursday/monthly). Call office for location</p>

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Hodge, Marcia	Garrard County Health Dept.	
Hoskins, Debbie	Lancaster Grand Theatre	
Hurte, Mark	Central KY Regional Humane Society – No Kill Central Kentucky (CKYRHS) C.A.R.E.S	<p>(Via Linda Wardlow) ckyrhs@ckyrhs.org http://nokillcentralky.ckyrhs.org/</p> <p>No Kill Central KY Regional Humane Society will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, April 2, 2013 at 6:00pm at the shelter on 214 Richmond Street, Lancaster, Ky. Community members are strongly encouraged to attend the monthly meetings.</p> <p>You are invited to participate in the Pacing for Paws 5k Run/Walk at the Lincoln County High School on Sunday, April 7th at 3PM. Registration forms for individuals and pets are available to the No Kill CKYRHS shelter, Lincoln County High School or Keith's Electrical Supply in Stanford. This benefit is being sponsored by the Lincoln County High School Key Club. Contact Haley Reichenbach at haley_reichenbach@hotmail.com or Cristal Collins at Cristal.Collins@lincoln.kyschools.us for more information. This event will support spay & neuter programs of No Kill Central KY Regional Humane Society and the Danville-Boyle County Humane Society.</p> <p>CKYRHS will have a pet adoption booth at Earth Day on Saturday, April 20th at the Garrard County Fair Grounds. Please plan to stop by to visit with our fur babies and make a much needed supply or financial donation.</p> <p>Join No Kill Central KY Regional Humane Society for an All You Can Eat “SPAY”-getti Supper on Thursday evening, April 25th from 6PM until 8PM at Lancaster Christian Church, 211 Stanford Street, Lancaster, Ky. Advanced tickets are available for \$5 at the shelter, 214 Richmond Street, Lancaster, Ky. Or \$6 at the door.</p> <p>Mark your calendars to come to Petsmart in Brannon Crossing, Nicholasville, Kentucky for National Pet Adoption Weekend from Friday, April 26th through Sunday, April 28th and visit with No Kill Central KY Regional Humane Society at our adoption booth. We will have some of our cute furry friends there looking for their forever homes.</p> <p>You won't want to miss a night of merriment & delicious cuisine on Sunday, April 28 at Natasha's Bistro at 112 Esplanade in Lexington, KY. Hosted by Chef Ranada Riley, the Natasha's C.A.R.E.S. benefit includes a smorgasbord of mouthwatering bites, energizing entertainment, and auction items. Tickets are \$25.</p> <p>As the community needs for animal welfare assistance from CKYRHS grows, so does the need grow for the community to help ease the burdens on CKYRHS by making a <u>monetary tax deductible donation</u> to CKYRHS at Box 875 Lancaster, KY 40444. Our non-profit board will ensure that the monies benefit the animals of our central KY region. CKYRHS depends on volunteers like you, so please share a little of your time to help around the shelter and care for the unwanted animals of central KY.</p>
Jackson, Mike	Ephraim McDowell Fort Logan Hospital	
Johnson, Del-Leda	Youth Services Center	

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Johnson, Tiffany	Mid-Continent University	(Via Kathy Steberl) . Tiffany will be conducting a Public Information Session on April 18th, 2013 at the First Southern Community Room on the Public Square in Lancaster. Stop by anytime between 9am-12pm and 3pm -6pm.
Keefe, Roberta	Garrard County Habitat for Humanity	
Land, David	Garrard County Industrial Development Authority (IDA)	
Lane, Terri	Garrard County Band Boosters/ Partners for Progress	
Leibundguth, David or Rose	Mercy House /Rose Ministries/Clear Vision Television Champion Way Farm	
Leslie, Teresa	Garrard County Rural Heritage Tobacco Festival	
McPherson, Dave	First Baptist Church Pastor/Garrard County Black History	
McWilliams, Laura	Garrard County Public Library	

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Messenger, Deborah	Field To Fork Festival/ Garrard County Tourism	<p>WORKSHOPS</p> <p>With more than 30 workshops spread across two days of fun-filled days of activities, regional and local foods farmers' market vendors, non-profit agricultural exhibitors, live music by Health & Molly and culinary demonstrations on the grounds of Halcomb's Knob Farm, Field to Fork Festival (F2F) is gearing up for its opening day of workshop registrations - April 1.</p> <p>Participants interested in expanding their knowledge and skills in the arts of gardening, livestock production, summer cuisine and more are encouraged to register early for the workshops - REGISTRATION opens April 1 and is required for all workshops.</p> <p><i>Friday workshop participants will receive complimentary refreshments and lunch (vegetarian option available), and a 10% discount for Saturday workshop registrations' total cost. Additionally, both registrants in Friday and Saturday workshop sessions will receive FREE general admission to the Festival.</i></p> <p>Payable by cash, check or credit card (VISA or MC), workshop registrations may be made by phone, email or postal mail. F2F is a rain or shine event, and registration fees are non-refundable, unless a workshop is cancelled. To view a listing of the F2F workshops, go to our website at http://fieldtoforkfestival.blogspot.com and click on the tab labelled: WORKSHOPS.</p> <p>EXHIBITORS & VENDORS:</p> <p>Now through June 1, F2F coordinators are seeking individuals, organizations and retailers interested in participating at the Festival as exhibitors and/or vendors. Starting at just \$25 per 12' x 16' booth space, F2F has room for more than 40 exhibitors and/or vendors. Please note, F2F is an agriculturally-based festival, and therefore, encourages all exhibitors and vendors to be displaying information and/or retailing products directly related to horticulture and agriculture. To review the vendor and exhibitor requirements and obtain an application and contract, visit our website.</p> <p>For more information on Field to Fork Festival, contact Deborah Messenger at 859-925-9936 or fieldtoforkfestival@gmail.com.</p>
Middleton, Kim	Garrard County Relay for Life	Our next Meeting will be held on Thursday, April 4 - 6:30 at the Garrard County Extension Office.
Moberly, Vickie	Regional Extension Agent from ECU	
Moody, Lori	Bluegrass Community Action Partnership	<p>There is no Garrard County Interagency Meeting in April but we are encouraging all members to attend the Garrard County Community Committee meeting instead!!</p> <p>The next Garrard County Interagency Meeting is May 14th. The Garrard County Health Department will be there to give us valuable information regarding The Hands Program and other info related to National Family Wellness Month/Women's Healthcare Month!!!</p> <p>Our next Commodity Senior Food Program distribution date is April 15th and WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!!! As of now, all of our volunteers (except 3-6) are actually Commodities clients!!! (The old middle school in the parking lot, from 10-2. Distribution day is the 3rd Monday of each month.)</p>

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Overman, Babette	Bluegrass P.R.I.D.E./ Garrard County Party on the Square/Garrard County Solid Waste Committee/Youth Enrichment Services of Mid-Kentucky	
Overman, Jay	Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program (CSEPP)	
Playforth, Fawna	Lancaster Higher Education Center	(Via Angie Cummins) LHEC will have booth at Earth Day Festival April 20 th : Click HERE for their flyer.
Powers, Brenda	Lancaster City Mayor/ Partners for Progress	
Price, Deb	Nature's Thyme Herb Club	
Purcell, Paul	Farmers National Bank/ Owsley House Board/ UK Extension District Board/Wilderness Trace Foundation	
Rogers, Cindy	Garrard County Schools	Spring Break dates are April 1-5. KPREP testing dates are May 6-10 (tentative pending no mor snow dates after this date - Mar. 25.) Please watch for students as the weather warms and students are walking and out of doors. Drive safely and slowly in school zones.
Sefcak, Karla	GCCC monthly report/ photograph & e-post community events	HELP ME PROMOTE YOU! Please e-mail me, at karla@sefcak.com, both general community & "tourism-type" updates - following pre-set promotional guidelines, postings can include listings on WEBPAGES: bluegrasskentucky.com, tourseky.com and garrardcountytourism.blogspot.com; FACEBOOK pages: facebook.com/VisitGarrardCountyKentucky and page listed as "Lexington's Bluegrass Region"; E-MAIL UPDATES: "Friends of Garrard County". WHEN POSSIBLE, PLEASE INCLUDE PHOTOS.
Shell, Jonathan	State Representative District 36	
Simpson, Kathy	Garrard County Conservation District	
Simpson, Margaret	Garrard County Historical Society	

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Teater, Byron	Battle of Lancaster	
	Garrard County Senior Citizens Center	(Via invitation) The GCSCC will be hosting “Hollywood Nights”, a prom for its seniors, Saturday, May 11, 7:00 – 11 PM, Garrard County Extension Bldg., 1302 Stanford Road, Lancaster.
Thomason, Chris	Garrard/Lincoln Solid Waste	
Toadvine, Emily	Heritage Hospice, Inc.	<p>April 12: Blue Jean Ball 6 to 11 p.m. At Pioneer Playhouse, 840 Stanford Road, Danville. Tickets are \$50. Please RSVP to Emily Toadvine by March 31 by calling (859) 236-2425.</p> <p>April 20: Drive One Event 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Stuart Powell Ford on the Danville Bypass. For every test drive, Heritage Hospice will receive \$20.</p> <p>April 27: Tentative date for 14th annual Heritage Hospice Helping Others' Perceptions of End of Life Care (H.O.P.E.) motorcycle ride. More details will follow in April newsletter</p>
Turner, Jean	Garrard County Arts Council	The painting of all walls and some of the trim has been finished at the Garrard County Arts Center. Baseboard and window trims are ready to be put up, and light fixtures have been purchased and waiting for the electrician. These include adjustable track lights and ceiling fans with lights. The bathroom cabinets are ready for primer and then paint. Some of the donated furniture is being refurbished by our art members, and plans are underway for display fixtures for the art gallery/gift shop. If you would like to help with furniture, donations, laying bathroom tiles or other, please call 859-792-6632.
Turner, Maria	Faith Feeds	
Wagoner, Angie	Family Resource Center	The Family Resource Center is doing a program called Build A Bed & we are building 10-20 toddler beds for children in our elementary schools. Also with the beds they get a bedtime bag with Pjs, book, bedding, toothbrush, toothpaste, night light, etc. We hope to do extra bedtime bags for additional children. We are doing all of this with donations only. We will have our build on May 4, 2013. (Many of our children sleep on the floor or a blow up mattress. We would like monetary donations or items for the bags.)
Weber, Stephanie	Council on International Educational Exchange	
West, John	Lancaster Masonic Lodge #104	
Whittaker, Carolyn	Garrard County Cooperative Parish	<p>The Garrard County Cooperative Parish/Family Ministry Center is located at 13 Martin Luther King Drive. We are open 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday. Our phone number is 792-3300. You can always call before you come to make sure we are open.</p> <p>We are really busy helping the people of Garrard County as much as we can. The business has really grown. We get clothes and miscellaneous items donated to us daily. We sell all merchandise at low prices and use the money to pay our bills and for one salaried employee. Others that work every day are strictly volunteers. We also help families with their utilities with money given to us from The Ministerial Association. We also give boxes of food to families from Garrard County once a month. In the month of February, we gave food boxes to 50 families with 113 people, and this has been the slowest month since we opened two and a half years ago. We also had free coats for this winter, and still have coats to give out. We also sent 17-30 gallon bags of clothes to Third World Countries. Also took bags of clothes to the Thomas Hood Veterans Hope in Wilmore. We really appreciate the donations given to us from the people of Garrard County. We really are a giving community.</p>
Wilson, Kevin	Bluegrass Prevention Center	

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Wilson, John	Garrard County Judge Executive	The Fiscal Court is happy to announce two recent developments this month. First, progress continues towards the Veteran's Monument to be constructed at the intersection of Lexington and Maple Ave. The Lancaster DAV donated their building towards the monument, which brought \$50,000 at an auction done by Kevin Montgomery with the Irvin Group. While there is still some progress to be made on full funding for the project, this is a substantial step in the right direction. Special thanks to Horace Sharp, Dee Hatfield and the Lancaster DAV. Lastly, the Fiscal Court was the recipient of a \$5,000.00 Bluegrass Pride grant to plant around 700 red bud trees around the Pleasant Retreat Hiking Trail. The planting will be done primarily by volunteers, working with the county, the Extension Office and the State Forest Ranger. As these trees mature, this will make the Hiking Trail a real destination in Lancaster every spring as these trees bloom.
Worley, Leslie	Garrard County Earth Day Festival/ Meet the Lions Night	(Via FB) 8th Annual Earth Day Festival April 20, 2013 from 10 am -5 pm at the Garrard County Fair Grounds This "Green" Festival is a FREE family event! Vendors, Farmers Market, Food Booths, Children's Activities, Entertainment, Live Music, Recycled Hat Fashion Show, Crafts, Yard Sale, Recycling Rewards, Energy Conservation Information, Environmental Education Displays, Animal Exhibits, Family Health and Wellness, Exhibits and Demonstrations, Garrard County Solid Waste Committee Recycled Art Competition and Exhibit Lions Club " See the Finish Line" 5 K Walk/Run ACCEPTING VENDOR APPLICATIONS NOW! Applications will be accepted using festival guidelines for appropriate merchandise. Booth fee will be \$15.00 for new merchandise and Farmers Market, \$25.00 for Food Vendors. Non-Profit / Educational Exhibitors: Free Booth Space! Application Deadline 4/10/2013 Set up information will be sent upon receipt of payment. For Info Call: Leslie Worley 859-339-5761 or e-mail: earthangelsteach@aol.com Mail check made out to TEACH, along with application, to: 57 Woodlawn Court, Lancaster, KY 40444 OR P.O. Box 128, Bryantsville, KY 40410

ABOUT THE GARRARD COUNTY COMMUNITY COMMITTEE (GCCC): The GCCC was established in 2009 for the purpose of connecting representatives from all Lancaster and Garrard County groups/events/projects/organizations to provide updates, network, find solutions through partnerships and help our community work together and continue to move Lancaster and Garrard County forward positively. (Member list updated: April 1, 2013)